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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

Dear Sir:

In response to Office Action dated August 8, 2006, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows. Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper. Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.